

League of Women Voters of Wisconsin Education Fund Inc

Legislative Bills/Resolutions

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 8

Relating to: the authority of a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting the provisions of a statute enforced or administered by the agency and to implement or enforce any standard, requirement, or threshold as a term or condition of a license issued ...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/20/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 21

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 11

Relating to: state finances, collective bargaining for public employees, compensation and fringe benefits of public employees, the state civil service system, the Medical Assistance program, sale of certain facilities, granting bonding authority, and makin...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/15/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 7

Relating to: requiring certain identification in order to vote at a polling place or obtain an absentee ballot, verification of the addresses of electors, absentee voting procedure in certain residential care apartment complexes and adult familyhomes, ide...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/27/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 23

Assembly Bill 28

Relating to: reporting of information by nonresident registrants under the campaign finance law.



For

Original Reporting Date: 6/9/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 67

Relating to: late voter registration, absentee voting in person, and implementation of a voter identification requirement at elections.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 86

Relating to: corrections and sentencing.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 6/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 93

Relating to: prohibiting purchase of tobacco products on behalf of, or to provide to, a minor and providing penalties.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 249

Assembly Bill 101

Relating to: requiring a municipal judge to be a licensed Wisconsin attorney.



For

Original Reporting Date: 12/5/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 110

Relating to: creating the Special Needs Scholarship Program for disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/2/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 122

Relating to: permitting an educational agency to refuse to employ or to terminate from employment an unpardoned felon.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 5/31/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 136

Relating to: mandatory minimum sentences and extended supervision eligibility for persons who commit certain crimes against children and providing penalties.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 10/17/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 146

Relating to: use of renewable resource credits to comply with renewable portfolio standards.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 11/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 159**

Relating to: the regulation of indirect sources of air pollution and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/14/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 160**

Relating to: ambient air quality standards established by the Department of Natural Resources and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/14/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 161**

Relating to: the dates of the September primary and certain other election occurrences and absentee voting.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 5/31/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 162**

Relating to: the date of the presidential preference primary and certain other election occurrences.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 5/31/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 164**

Relating to: soft tissue injury to a law enforcement officer when resisting or obstructing arrest.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 10/17/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 165**

Relating to: the display of turf fertilizer containing phosphorus.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/14/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 170**

Relating to: creation of a task force on the elections process and election technology.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 6/10/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 177**

Relating to: procedures for applications and hearings relating to permits and contracts for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/14/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 195**

Relating to: the regulation of emissions of hazardous air contaminants associated with agricultural waste and the partial suspension of rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/14/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 196**

Relating to: prohibiting the promulgation of certain rules concerning campaign financing by the Government Accountability Board.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 9/9/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 198**

Relating to: preparation of legislative and congressional districting plans by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Government Accountability Board.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/14/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 209**

Relating to: mandatory minimum sentences for certain child sex offenses.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 10/17/2011

 Bill Text and History
 2011 Wisconsin Act 272


Assembly Bill 212

Relating to: throwing or expelling a bodily substance at a public safety worker and providing a penalty.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/17/2011

 Bill Text and History
 2011 Wisconsin Act 72

Assembly Bill 219

Relating to: funding postretirement health care benefits of local government employees.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 9/14/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 232

Relating to: rights of crime victims and witnesses.



For

Original Reporting Date: 9/14/2011

 Bill Text and History
 2011 Wisconsin Act 283

Assembly Bill 235

Relating to: approving premarital agreements.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 9/14/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 286

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/12/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 303

Relating to: comprehensive planning and making an appropriation.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 11/15/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 337

Relating to: providing instruction in human growth and development.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 365

Relating to: electronic voter registration, verification of certain registrations, and proof of residence for voting in an election and granting rule-making authority.



For

Original Reporting Date: 11/30/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 370

Relating to: the method of reporting election returns by municipalities.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 11/15/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 389

Relating to: the authority of a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting the provisions of a statute enforced or administered by the agency and to implement or enforce standards, requirements, and thresholds; elimination of gubernatorial approval of p...



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 11/23/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 393

Relating to: voter intimidation or suppression, authorized activities at or near polling places, and providing a penalty.



Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date: 11/23/2011

 Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 396

Relating to: relinquishing custody of a newborn child



For

Relating to: relinquishing custody of a newborn child.

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 426

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 12/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 441

Relating to: signing a petition to recall the same officer more than once and providing a penalty.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/2/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 444

Relating to: restoring the right to vote to certain persons barred from voting as a result of a felony conviction, changing the information required on voter registration forms, and changing voting procedure for certain persons who are convicted of felonie...

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 1/6/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 446

Relating to: time limits and other participation requirements, case management services, and caretaker of newborn grants under Wisconsin Works; child care provider rates and eligibility for subsidies under Wisconsin Shares; and granting rule-making authori...

 **Other**

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 452

Relating to: resolution of claims against the state for wrongful imprisonment of innocent persons, exempting from taxation certain amounts an individual receives from the claims board or legislature, and making appropriations.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 460

Relating to: use of university, college, or technical college identification cards as proof of identification for voting.

 **Other**

Original Reporting Date: 1/7/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 463

Relating to: permits for discharges into wetlands; wetland mitigation; wetland mapping and delineation; fees for permits and other authorizations or determinations by the Department of Natural Resources relating to structures, deposits, and other activitie...

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 1/9/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 464

Relating to: alcohol beverages violations by underage persons on licensed premises.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 472

Relating to: offering anything of value to induce someone to sign or not sign a recall petition and providing a penalty.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 2/2/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 481

Relating to: voter registration at high schools and certain tribal schools.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 488

Relating to: establishing an assistant district attorney pay progression plan.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 1/26/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 514

Relating to: addition of crimes that qualify a juvenile for the Serious Juvenile Offender Program.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 525

Relating to: return of absentee ballots, submittal of proof of identification with absentee ballot applications, and voting in person by electors who have voted by absentee ballot in the same election.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 2/6/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 526

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for energy and water improvements to premises and collection of the debt by special charge.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 565

Relating to: spending by certain electric and natural gas public utilities on energy efficiency, conservation, and renewable resource programs.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 567

Relating to: licensure of commercial bail bond agents and bail bond agencies and certification of commercial bail recovery agents, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Joint Resolution 21

Relating to: creation of the fiscal responsibility fund (first consideration).

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 4/14/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Joint Resolution 52

Relating to: requiring the legislature to enact laws requiring reasonable notice of and public access to meetings of governmental bodies, including the legislature, and making members of the legislature subject to citations and civil penalties for violatio...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/16/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Joint Resolution 77

Relating to: the terms people and person (first consideration).

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/26/2012

Bill Text and History

Assembly Joint Resolution 100

Relating to: accounting and expenditure of state funds and reduction of deficit (first consideration).

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 6

Relating to: requiring certain identification in order to vote at a polling place or obtain an absentee ballot, verification of the addresses of electors, absentee voting procedure in certain residential care apartment complexes and adult family homes, ide...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/17/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 17

Relating to: reporting of information by nonresident registrants under the campaign finance law.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/15/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 23

Relating to: preemption of city, village, town, or county ordinances requiring employers to provide employees with leave from employment to deal with family, medical, or health issues.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 3/3/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 16

Senate Bill 24

Relating to: eliminating the fee for having land rezoned out a farmland preservation zoning district and eliminating the program for purchasing agricultural conservation easements.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 10/21/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 57

Relating to: corrections and sentencing.

**Other**

Original Reporting Date: 6/1/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 38

Senate Bill 74

Relating to: eliminating substitution of judges in criminal matters.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 6/8/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 79

Relating to: the privilege of self-defense.

**Other**

Original Reporting Date: 6/1/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 86

Relating to: permitting an educational agency to refuse to employ or to terminate from employment an unpardoned felon.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 10/31/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 83

Senate Bill 93

Relating to: going armed with weapons, possessing or transporting a firearm, bow, or crossbow under certain circumstances, disorderly conduct limitations, and electric weapons.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 6/21/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 35

Senate Bill 138

Relating to: the regulation of emissions of hazardous air contaminants associated with agricultural waste and the partial suspension of rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 122

Senate Bill 148

Relating to: legislative redistricting.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/14/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 43

Senate Bill 149

Relating to: congressional redistricting.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/14/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 44

Senate Bill 150

Relating to: division of municipalities into wards and redistricting of supervisory and aldermanic districts and appointing a panel to hear challenges to the apportionment of a congressional or legislative district, and hearing certain appeals.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/14/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 39

Senate Bill 162

Relating to: notice of the fee for identification cards issued by the Department of Transportation.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 11/16/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 165

Relating to: birth certificates for Milwaukee County residents.

**Other**

Original Reporting Date: 9/14/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 193**For**

Relating to: prohibiting a vote on bills during the first 21 days after introduction.

 **Original Reporting Date:** 10/4/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 202

Relating to: elimination of compensatory and punitive damages for acts of employment discrimination or unfair honesty or genetic testing.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/25/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 219

Senate Bill 207

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/21/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 237

Relating to: providing instruction in human growth and development.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 10/17/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 216

Senate Bill 271

Relating to: return of absentee ballots and voting in person by electors who have voted by absentee ballot in the same election.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/14/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 227

Senate Bill 273

Relating to: the Badger Health Benefit Authority, health benefit exchange operation, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.



Other

Original Reporting Date: 11/28/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 292

Relating to: reporting of the principal place of employment of certain individuals who make political contributions.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 298

Relating to: enclosure of absentee ballots in privacy envelopes.



For

Original Reporting Date: 11/23/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 306

Relating to: voluntary and informed consent to an abortion, information on domestic abuse services, giving a woman an abortion-inducing drug, repealing criminal sanctions against women who perform or obtain certain abortion procedures, and providing a pena...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 12/13/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 217

Senate Bill 329

Relating to: restoring the right to vote to certain persons barred from voting as a result of a felony conviction, changing the information required on voter registration forms, and changing voting procedure for certain persons who are convicted of felonie...



For

Original Reporting Date: 12/14/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 367

Relating to: signing a petition to recall the same officer more than once and providing a penalty.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 368

Relating to: permits for discharges into wetlands; wetland mitigation; wetland mapping and delineation; fees for permits and other authorizations or determinations by the Department of Natural Resources relating to structures, deposits, and other activitie...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/9/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 118

Senate Bill 374

Relating to: offering anything of value to induce someone to sign or not sign a recall petition and providing a penalty.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/12/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 386

Relating to: voter registration at high schools and certain tribal schools.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/24/2012

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 240

Senate Bill 392

Relating to: setback requirements for wind energy systems.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/26/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 394

Relating to: establishing an assistant district attorney pay progression plan.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/26/2012

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 238

Senate Bill 425

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for energy and water improvements to premises and collection of the debt by special charge.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 138

Senate Bill 481

Relating to: proof of identification for voting by university, college or technical college students.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 2/17/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 486

Relating to: creating the Special Needs Scholarship Program for disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Bill 488

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, procedures for obtaining approvals from the Department of Natural Resources for the construction of utility facilities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Joint Resolution 8

Relating to: the vote on bills that would increase certain tax rates (first consideration).

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 2/23/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Joint Resolution 21

Relating to: the right of the people to contract privately for health care services and health care coverage, and prohibiting requiring a person to obtain or maintain health insurance coverage or to participate in any health care system or plan (first cons...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 3/2/2012

Bill Text and History

Senate Joint Resolution 41

Relating to: requiring the legislature to enact laws requiring reasonable notice of and public access to meetings of governmental bodies, including the legislature, and making members of the legislature subject to citations and civil penalties for violatio...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 9/30/2011

Bill Text and History

Senate Joint Resolution 42

Relating to: the appointment of supreme court justices and appeals court

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 9/20/2011

judges (first consideration).

Original Reporting Date: 9/30/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 24

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 11/3/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 24

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 11/3/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Budget Bill Subjects

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Corrections: Departmentwide

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Government Accountability Board

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Health Services: Departmentwide

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Insurance

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Public Instruction: Administrative and Other Funding

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Public Service Commission

Original Reporting Date: 4/1/2011

[Comments](#) 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Regulation and Licensing

Original Reporting Date: 6/15/2011

[Comments](#)  

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to

Transportation: Departmentwide

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Comments 

Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings

Government Accountability Board

GAB 4, the conduct and regulation of election observers to monitor compliance with election laws by local election officials.

 **For** 

Original Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Register Number: 657 (10/1/2010)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 10-130

Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Appointment of members to the Government Accountability Board

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 12/10/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Election Day Registration

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative matter

Reporting Date: 12/10/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Use of student ID cards as voting IDs

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 11/14/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

providing instruction in human growth and development

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 10/11/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Support of resolution requiring legislature to enact laws requiring reasonable notice of meetings and holding legislators accountable for violations of those laws.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/7/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

creating an elections process and technology task force

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 6/9/2011

Comments 

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Permitting a qualified elector with a current and valid Wisconsin driver's license or state ID to register to vote on a secure Internet site maintained by the GAB

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 5/27/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Opposition to allowing hidden, loaded guns in public places.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 5/11/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Changes to public schools funding formula, in particular the proposal from the School Finance Network.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Creation of a nonpartisan and independent redistricting process.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Limiting the scope of campaign finance regulation to regulation of issue ads through a Government Accountability Board rule and legislation.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Prohibiting elected state officials and their campaign committees from soliciting or accepting campaign contributions during the budget process.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Restoration of voting rights to felons who are not currently incarcerated.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011